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Re: Application of James C. **DANLY, SR.** and James C. **DANLY, JR.**
        "SINTERED ANTI-FRICTION BEARING SURFACE"
        Our Ref.: 3654.006

Dear Sir:

   Attached hereto is the application identified above including the specification, claims and abstract; two (2) sheets of drawings; Declaration and Power of Attorney and Petition to Make Special with Declaration.

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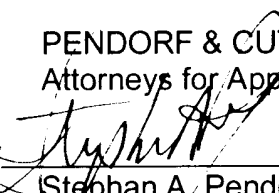   **TOTAL FILING FEE** $355.00

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Respectfully submitted,

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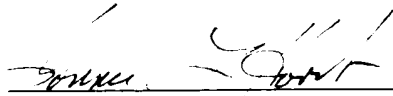Registration No. 32,665

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